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Title ADJUDICATION METHOD AND SYSTEM

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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-Descriptive title of the Invention  
-Cross References to Related Applications  
-Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
-Reference to Microfiche Appendix  
-Background of the Invention  
-Brief Summary of the Invention  
-Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
-Detailed Description  
-Claim(s)  
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3. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 8]
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7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
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8. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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11. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
12. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
13. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
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Statement(s) Status still proper and desired
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104	204	135 Multiple dependent claim				<span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;"></span>
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